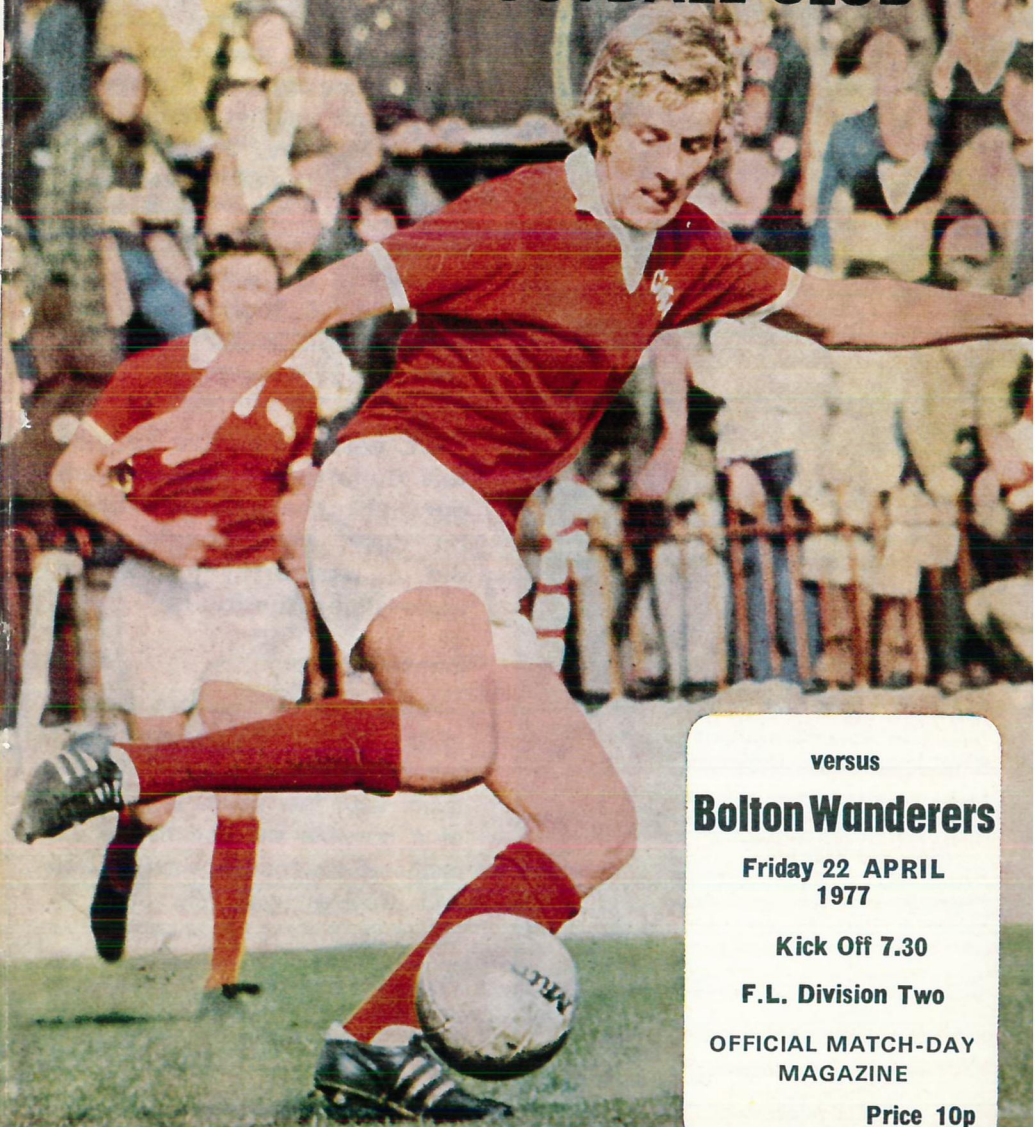


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We take great pride at Charlton Athletic that it is possible for supporters to attend our games in a family atmosphere and are able to avoid the nasty sort of incidents that occur in other parts of the country. Following the match against Chelsea on Easter Monday, on behalf of everyone at the Club, we would like to say a big "Thank you" to our supporters for taking no part in the way of a confrontation following the disgusting behaviour of the Chelsea supporters.

We would also like to take this opportunity of recording our thanks to the police officers on duty. We thought they did a wonderful job in an impossible situation.

Happy Easter

Apart from the resultant damage to the ground, it certainly turned out to be a Happy Easter for the team, with five points gained out of a possible six, and those two memorable victories against Millwall and Chelsea with the draw at Orient sandwiched in between.

There is always friendly rivalry between ourselves and Millwall and incredibly our 3-2 win was only the seventh time in 38 matches

between our two clubs that we managed a victory, which made it all the more sweet.

The goalless draw at Orient the following day was a workmanlike performance on a difficult pitch but undoubtedly the highlight of the Easter Holiday matches was the lowering of Chelsea's colours.

The 4—0 victory was a splendid team performance which had Chelsea reeling from the moment Mick Flanagan scored the first of his three goals.

Hugh McAuley netted our other goal in a performance which Manager Andy Nelson described as one of the best he had seen from a Second Division side.

Mick Flanagan took his goals tally for the season to 19 and also went home with the match ball after the second hat trick of his career.

Hot Pot

Last Saturday we started on a Lancashire Hot Pot of five successive league matches against clubs from that County when we travelled to Blackpool.

Although leading at half-time through goals by Mike Flanagan and Les Berry, the final score of 2—2 was very disappointing.

Tonight we entertain Bolton Wanderers and on Tuesday April 26 Burnley are the visitors to The Valley. On Saturday April 30

we play Blackburn Rovers at Ewood Park and our last home match of the season is on Saturday May 7 against Oldham Athletic.

The final league match of the season is on Saturday May 14 when we play promotion chasing Notts County at Meadow Lane.

Visitors

Bolton Wanderers our visitors tonight are having another nervous finish to the season as they make their second successive bid for promotion.

Ian Greaves side beat us 4—0 here in the last match of last season only to hear as they left the field that West Bromwich Albion had pipped them at the post for promotion.

Our former goalkeeper Charlie Wright is a member of the Bolton Wanderers training staff.

Friendly

The team will be playing a friendly against York City at Bootham Crescent on May 10, subject to Football League approval. Two of our former players, George Hope and Tony Young are now at York.

Home Again

Don't forget we are at home again on Tuesday evening when Burnley are the visitors in a re-arranged fixture.

WELCOME TO



BACK ROW: *(Left to Right)*

Peter Thompson (inset), **Peter Reid**, **Garry Jones**, **Roy Greaves**, **Mike Walsh**, **Brian Smith**, **Paul Jones**, (inset).

MIDDLE ROW: *(Left to Right)*

John Byrom (now Blackburn), **Sam Allardyce**, **Jim McDonagh**, **Andy Slack**, **Peter Nicholson**, **Neil Whatmore**, **Alan Waldron** (inset).

FRONT ROW: *(Left to Right)*

Hughie Curran, **Steve Taylor**, **John Ritson**, **Willie Morgan**, **Tony Dunne**.

BOLTON

PEN PICTURES

Jim McDonagh (Goalkeeper).

Joined the Wanderers at the start of the season on a month's loan from Rotherham United. Impressed, and was signed for a £10,000 fee as cover to Barry Siddall. He got an immediate promotion with the transfer of Siddall to Sunderland.

John Ritson (Defender).

Club skipper, John was born in Liverpool and came to Bolton from schoolboy soccer. Graduated through the junior sides.

Tony Dunne (Defender). Eire international who played for most of his career with Manchester United. Was a member of the European Cup winning side.

Roy Greaves (Midfield). Roy has completed 10 years with the Wanderers and had a testimonial game in the close season. He is one of the few players to come from the Bolton area to join the Wanderers.

Paul Jones (Defender). Paul is another player who has been called on by England boss Don Revie to join the Under-23 squad — last season he had a trip to Budapest with them.

Sam Allardyce (Defender). Sam is one of the "finds" of last season. It was his first full season and he

emerged as an outstanding defender and was voted "Player of the Year" by the Wanderers' supporters.

Willie Morgan (Forward). Started his career with Burnley then moved to Manchester United for a big fee. He returned to Burnley and was signed by the Wanderers towards the end of last season. A Scottish international.

Neil Whatmore (Forward).

Strong attacker with a flair for scoring goals. He hit 13 goals last season to become the club's joint top scorer.

Garry Jones (Forward). Manchester-born Garry had his best season for some time scoring 13 goals.

Peter Reid (Midfield). Another young player who came to the fore last year. Peter was discovered playing for Bolton schoolboys and graduated through the junior sides to win a regular place in the first team.

Peter Thompson (Forward).

Peter is the former Liverpool and England winger who has won most of the honours in the game.

Steve Taylor (Forward). Born near Oldham, Steve got his first team chance this season mainly due to injuries. Steve joined the Wanderers from school and graduated through the club's junior sides.

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Our highest-ever victory over promotion hopes Chelsea ensured that Andy Nelson's team will finish Champions of our unofficial League of matches played between London's five Second Division Clubs, for the second successive year.

In the past two campaigns only one team — Chelsea at Stamford Bridge this season — has beaten us. Our League record against London Clubs for the past two seasons reads:—

P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
14	6	7	1	23	14	19

EASTER ROMP

Apart from our magnificent team performance against Chelsea, it gave the lads particular pleasure in beating our neighbours Millwall on Good Friday — a win that started us on our 5 points Easter romp. Millwall, in fact, are the last London Club to leave The Valley with both points. Since that 2—0 win by the Lions on April 25th 1972, we've been both relegated and promoted. It's that long ago!

With only the Fulham v. Orient match to be played, the up-to-date London League table this season reads:—

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Total Home "Gates"
Charlton ..	8	3	4	1	13	7	10	63,630
Millwall ..	8	2	4	2	11	9	8	59,625
Chelsea ..	8	3	2	3	8	13	8	154,483
Fulham ..	7	1	4	2	7	8	6	*62,880
Orient ..	7	1	4	2	3	5	6	36,748

* Three home matches

Highest Win:— Charlton 4, Chelsea 0.

Highest Attendance:— 55,003 Chelsea v. Fulham.

We may not win promotion this season but Easter 1977 will live long in our memory. Let's hear The Valley echo today with your much appreciated roars of encouragement for Andy Nelson's Valiants.

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FLASHBACK



40 YEARS AGO

For our Easter Saturday (March 27) match at The Valley against Wolves, Jimmy Seed made several changes to the team beaten 3—0 the previous day against Chelsea at Stamford Bridge. Out of the side were Joe Jobling, George Tadman and Les Boulter. George Stephenson returned to an attack led by Don Welsh while George Green and Fred Ford filled the vacated wing-half positions.

The end result of all these changes was a tremendous 4—0 win; three of the goals being scored in a devastating eight minutes spell in the first half. Harold Hobbs hit the first after 20 minutes and "man-of-the-match" Don Welsh helped himself to two in the 25th and 28th minutes. Four minutes after the break George Stephenson netted our fourth goal.

Not surprisingly, Mr. Seed relied on the same side to tackle Chelsea in the return match at The Valley on Easter Monday (March 29). While we didn't play the sparkling football seen against Wolves, we were well worthy of our 1—0 (Wilkinson) win, our half-back line — Green, John Oakes, and Ford — tilting the scales in our favour.

20 YEARS AGO

Derek Ufton at left-half in place of Keith Cox was Jimmy Trotter's only change for the prestige match against Chelsea (March 16). It was too late to save us from relegation but nevertheless the Charlton team at last had a more stable look about it, and it soon paid dividends against Chelsea.

An own-goal by Peter Sillett — brother of Hereford manager John Sillett — after 15 minutes was followed seventeen minutes later by a Stuart Leary goal. And although Sillett completed the rarish feat of scoring for both sides, when he converted a spot kick after Trevor Edwards handled, Johnny Summers made sure of the two points with his twelfth Charlton goal of the season.

A week later, on March 23, we travelled to Ninian Park with an unchanged team to face a Cardiff side precariously placed in 19th position. It took us a long time to get things together in this match and by the time Stuart Leary scored for us on the hour, City had secured a two-goal interval lead through Baker and Hitchens. Leary's goal, however, lifted us and when he levelled matters in the 81st minute, we didn't have to wait long — three minutes to be precise — for Sam Lawrie to provide the winner.

10 YEARS AGO

Following our 2—1 defeat at Bury, Bob Stokoe made changes for the Easter Saturday Valley match against Carlisle (March 24) — Ron Saunders, Peter Reeves and Matt Tees making room for Colin Appleton, Keith Peacock and Len Glover.

We were lying 17th in the table prior to this game, only two points ahead of second-from-bottom Northampton. In addition most of the teams below us had two games in hand. Nothing less than victory was essential, and this was how it turned out with Eddie Firmani celebrating his recent return to The Valley with the only goal of the match in the 67th minute.

We made the long trip North to Brunton Park for the return match on the following Tuesday (March 28) with another much changed team, mainly because of injuries. Missing were Brian Kinsey, John King and Eddie Firmani. Their replacements were Peter Reeves, John Keirs, and Dennis Booth. The inclusion of 17 year-old Dennis meant that Bob Stokoe had introduced three players to League football in 17 days — Bob Curtis, Les Burns, and now Dennis Booth.

Unlike Curtis, but like Burns, Dennis's debut match was on the losing side for as at The Valley, four days previously, one goal decided the match, and unfortunately, for us, this time it was Tommy Murray who netted to win the two points for United.

LETTERS with your questions, and memories, are always welcome but please enclose a stamped addressed envelope if you require a reply. Send your items of interest to **COLIN CAMERON, 54 ELLISON ROAD, SIDCUP, KENT.**



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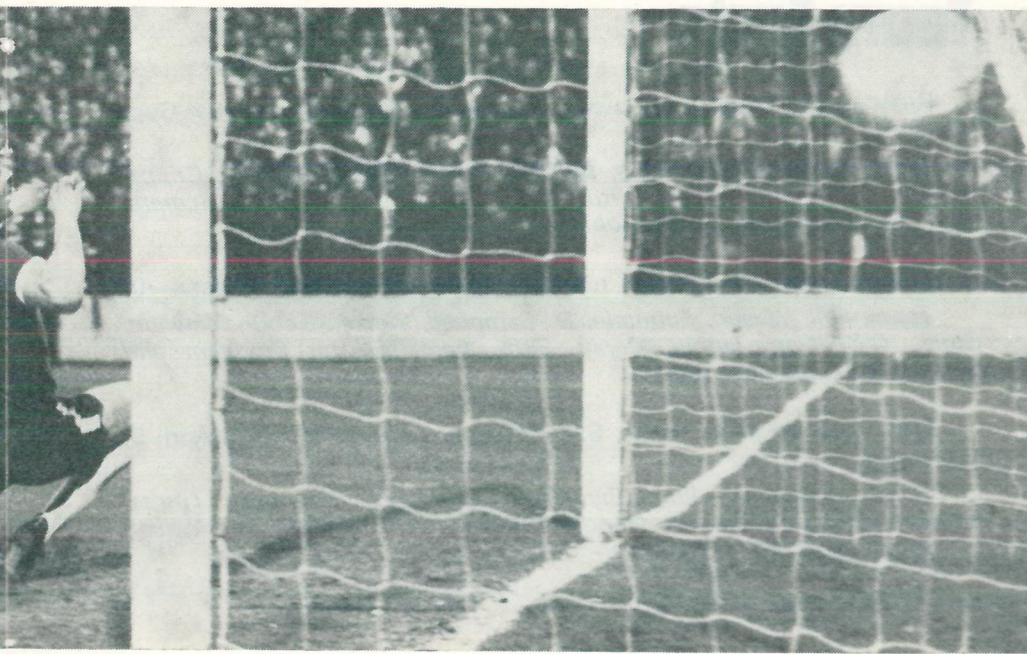
The goals from our magnificent 4—0 victory against Chelsea.

(above)

Mike Flanagan's hat-trick for the first, second and fourth goals.

(below)

The ball hits the back of the net as Hugh McAuley scores the third goal.



spotLight

Betty Hutchins (top) and Sandra Chamberlaine have no doubts who they will be voting their Player of the Year tonight.

Jeff Wood's form in recent weeks has made him their firm favourite and has helped overcome the disappointment of the departure of Derek Hales.

Betty and Sandra travel many hundreds of miles by coach to watch The Valiants and in Sandra's case this means much manipulation of leave from her job with Marks and Spencer. Betty is employed by the Cancer Research Fund.



Team Facts

Reserves v. Portsmouth away, Wednesday April 6, League Cup, won 5—3.

Team: Horn, Wilson, Hicks, D. Campbell, Fountain, Fogarty, Cripps, Hyams, Carey, O'Sullivan, Curtis. Sub. Burman for Hyams. Scorers, Carey (2), O'Sullivan, Curtis, Fogarty.

Colts v. Orient home, S.E. Counties League, Monday April 4, lost 4—0.

Team: Fell, Wilson, Fountain, D. Campbell, Walker, Booth, Newson, Stock, O'Sullivan, Turner, Carey. Subs. Earnshaw for Fountain and Sulman who was not used.

Colts v. Gillingham, home, S.E. Counties League, Saturday April 9, won 1—0.

Team: Burnham, Jury, Earnshaw, Campbell, Fountain, Turner, Newson, Stock, O'Sullivan, Goodban, Carey. Subs. Morton and Wilson for Goodban. Scorer, O'Sullivan.

PORTRAIT GALLERY



LES BERRY, who scored our second goal at Blackpool last Saturday



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DIVISION I 1976/77

1976				
Aug.	21	Millwall	(H)	0-2
	28	Southend U.	(A)	2-1
Sep.	4	Gillingham	(A)	2-5
	11	Tottenham H.	(A)	2-1
	18	Ipswich Town	(A)	2-7
	25	Fulham (Cup)	(H)	1-1
Oct.	2	Crystal Palace	(A)	2-5
	9	Fulham (Cup R)	(H)	0-2
	16	Chelsea	(A)	1-4
	23	Southend Utd.	(H)	1-1
	30	West Ham U.	(A)	3-4
Nov.	20	Watford	(H)	2-2
	27	Arsenal	(H)	1-2
Dec.	11	Tottenham H.	(A)	2-2
1977				
Jan.	8	Ipswich	(H)	1-2
	22	Millwall	(A)	2-0
Feb.	5	Fulham	(A)	0-0
	12	Portsmouth	(H)	1-3
	26	Chelsea	(H)	0-0
Mar.	5	Orient	(A)	0-1
	12	West Ham U.	(H)	1-1
	19	Watford	(A)	2-0
	26	Q.P.R.	(A)	0-0
Apr.	2	Norwich C.	(H)	3-2
	4	Orient	(H)	0-4
	9	Gillingham	(H)	1-0
	14	Norwich C.	(A)	Unilever
	16	Arsenal	(A)	London Colney
	23	Portsmouth	(A)	Eastney
	25	Fulham	(H)	Unilever
To be arranged				
		Q.P.R.	(H)	Unilever
		Crystal Palace	(H)	Unilever

THE MID-WEEK FOOTBALL LEAGUE FIXTURES 1976/77

1976				
August	24	Watford	(H)	3-1
September	7	Brighton & H.A.	(A)	3-5
	14	Millwall	(H)	2-0
	28	Gillingham	(H)	3-3
October	12	Brighton & H. A. (LC)	(A)	0-3
	18	Cambridge United	(A)	1-2
	26	Southend United	(H)	2-4
November	3	Southend United	(A)	2-3
	23	Portsmouth	(H)	5-1
December	15	Portsmouth	(A)	2-4
1977				
February	1	Brighton & H.A. (LC)	(H)	3-1
	23	Brentford	(A)	3-1
	28	Brentford	(H)	1-1
March	2	Northampton Town	(A)	3-1
	8	Peterborough	(A)	1-1
	15	Watford	(A)	1-1
	16	Millwall	(A)	0-0
	21	Brighton & H.A.	(H)	2-1
	29	Portsmouth (LC)	(H)	3-2
April	31	Northampton	(H)	0-3
	6	Portsmouth (LC)	(A)	5-3
	13	Cambridge United	(H)	1-0
	18	Peterborough U.	(H)	
	19	Gillingham	(A)	

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Date	Opponents	V	R	Att.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11*	12
Aug 21	Cardiff City	H	0-2	9,762	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis*	Powell	Hales	Hope	Bowman	Flanagan	D. Young
25	Nottingham Forest	A	1-1	12,662	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Berry	Powell	Hales(1)	Flanagan	T. Young	Peacock	Bowman
28	Pulham	A	1-1	10,699	Wood	Hammond	Curtis	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales(1)	Flanagan	Warman	Peacock(1)	Penfold
31	Southampton (LC2)	A	1-1	13,371	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales(1)	Flanagan	T. Young	Peacock	Berry
Sept 4	Wolverhampton W.	A	0-3	15,652	Wood	Berry	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales	Flanagan	T. Young	Peacock	Penfold
7	Southampton (LC2 R)	H	2-1	13,198	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Hunt	Giles(1)	Curtis	Powell	Hales(3)	Flanagan	T. Young	Peacock	Berry
10	Luton Town	H	4-3	9,191	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis(1)	Powell	Hales(1)	Flanagan	T. Young	Peacock	Berry
23	Hereford United	A	2-1	8,723	Wood	Berry	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales(1)	Flanagan(1)	T. Young	Peacock	Hammond
21	West Ham (LC3)	A	0-1	32,898	Wood	Berry	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales	Flanagan	Bowman	Peacock	Hammond
24	Southampton	H	2-4	9,710	Wood	Berry	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell(1)	Hales(2)	Flanagan(2)	Bowman(1)	Peacock	Hammond
Oct 2	Cardisle United	A	2-4	6,274	Wood	Berry	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales(1)	Flanagan(1)	Bowman	Peacock	Campbell
9	Hull City	A	3-1	10,345	Wood	Berry	Warman	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales(3)	Flanagan(1)	Bowman	Peacock	Hammond
16	Burnley	A	4-4	10,601	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Hunt	Berry	Curtis(1)	Powell	Hales(2)	Flanagan(1)	Bowman	Penfold	Giles
23	Sheffield United	A	3-2	11,307	Wood	Hammond	Berry	Hunt	Giles	Curtis(1)	Powell	Hales(1)	Flanagan(1)	Bowman	Warman	Penfold
30	Bristol Rovers	A	1-1	8,183	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Hunt	Berry	Curtis	Powell	Hales	Flanagan(1)	Bowman	Peacock	Giles
Nov 5	Plymouth Argyle	H	3-1	13,617	Wood	Hammond	Berry	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales(2)	Flanagan(1)	Bowman	Peacock	Penfold
10	Chelsea	A	1-2	38,879	Wood	Hammond	Berry	Hunt	Giles(1)	Curtis	Powell	Hales	Flanagan	Bowman	Peacock	Warman
20	Blackpool	A	*1-2	12,045	Wood	Hammond	Berry	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Hales	Flanagan	Bowman	Peacock	Warman
27	Bolton Wanderers	A	0-1	17,842	Wood	Hammond	Berry	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Warman	Flanagan	Bowman	Peacock	Penfold
Dec 4	Blackburn Rovers	H	4-0	7,943	Wood	Hammond	Berry(1)	Hunt	Giles (1)	Curtis	Powell	Hales	Flanagan(2)	Warman	Peacock	O'Sullivan
27	Millwall	A	1-1	20,920	Wood	Hammond	Berry	Hunt	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Burman(1)	Flanagan	Tydemann	Peacock	Warman
Jan 1	Plymouth Argyle	A	0-1	13,445	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Burman	Berry	Curtis	Powell	McAuley	Flanagan	Tydemann	Peacock	Giles
3	Bristol Rovers	H	4-3	9,742	Wood	Hammond	Warman(1)	Tydemann	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Burman(1)	Flanagan(2)	Peacock	McAuley	Berry
8	Blackburn R. F.A.C. 3	H	1-1	10,573	Wood	Hammond	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Burman	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Berry
12	Blackburn F.A.C 3 replay	A	0-2	7,465	Wood	Berry	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Curtis	Powell	Burman	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Hammond
22	Nottingham Forest	A	2-1	7,962	Wood	Penfold	Warman	Tydemann	Berry	Curtis	Powell	Burman	Flanagan(1)	Peacock	McAuley(1)	Hunt
22	Cardiff City	H	1-1	11,152	Wood	Penfold	Warman	Tydemann	Berry	Curtis	Powell	Burman	Flanagan*	Peacock	McAuley	Hunt
29	Notts County	H	1-1	8,865	Wood	Penfold	Warman	Tydemann	Berry	Curtis(1)	Powell	Burman	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Hunt
Feb 5	Fulham	A	1-1	14,951	Wood	Penfold	Warman	Tydemann	Berry	Curtis	Powell	Burman	Flanagan(1)	Peacock	McAuley	Hunt
12	Wolverhampton W	H	1-1	17,055	Wood	Curtis	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Burman	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley(1)	Hunt
15	Orieu	H	2-0	10,562	Wood	Curtis(1)	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan(1)	Peacock	McAuley	Penfold
19	Luton Town	A	0-2	11,645	Wood	Curtis	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Penfold
25	Hereford United	H	0-2	11,804	Wood	Curtis	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley(1)	O'Sullivan
Mar 1	Southampton	A	1-2	18,421	Wood	Curtis	Warman	Burman(1)	Giles	Berry	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Hunt
5	Cardisle United	H	1-0	7,113	Wood	Curtis	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Burman*	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Penfold
19	Hull City	A	0-0	5,575	Wood	Penfold	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Penfold
22	Oldham Athletic	A	1-1	7,161	Wood	Penfold	Warman	Tydemann	Giles(1)	Berry	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	O'Sullivan
Apr 2	Sheffield United	A	0-3	12,301	Wood	Penfold	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell*	Hunt	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Curtis
8	Millwall	H	3-2	16,612	Wood	Penfold	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Burman	Flanagan(1)	Peacock	McAuley(1)	Curtis
9	Orieu	A	0-0	6,623	Wood	Curtis	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan	Peacock	McAuley	Burman
11	Chelsea	H	4-0	25,757	Wood	Curtis	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan(3)	Peacock	McAuley(1)	Penfold
16	Blackpool	A	2-2		Wood	Curtis	Warman	Tydemann	Giles	Berry(1)	Powell	Hunt	Flanagan(1)	Peacock	McAuley	Campbe
22	Bolton Wanderers	H														
30	Burnley	H														
May 7	Oldham Athletic	A														
14	Notts County	A														

* J. Own Goal

Another coach load of happy Valiants Travel Club members.



Why don't you join us in our trips to:

Blackburn on Saturday, 30th April. Depart Valley 7.30 a.m. £3.20

Notts County, Saturday, 14th May, Depart Valley, 9.30 a.m. £2.15

Book today at your Travel Booth rear of Main Stand and Linda's Shop inside Bartram Gate entrance or Valley Club, Wednesday evenings only.

NOTICE TO ALL OUR SUPPORTERS

If you wish to vote for your Player of the Year and were unable to do so this evening, please call in at one of our two Supporters Centres at the rear of the Main Stand and in Linda's Shop Bartram Gate entrance — Before, at Half Time, or After, our next home game with Burnley, on Tuesday next, 26th April — where a voting form will be available

ECHOES ACROSS THE VALLEY

EXHIBITION

The club's junior players recently took part in an exhibition five-a-side tournament against Gillingham at Dartford College of Education as part of a bumper sports evening for a party of foreign visitors. Charlton were represented by Terry Fell, David Campbell, Willie O'Sullivan, Steve Carey and Mark Woods.

A squad of eight Colts will be going to Brean Sands in Somerset for a week on May 30 to take part in the Pontins six-a-side tournament which has attracted youth teams from twenty Football League Clubs.

VISITORS

A number of foreign visitors have recently been watching matches at The Valley and groups from Switzerland and America were at the Easter games with Millwall and Chelsea.

Other visitors at the Chelsea match were TV star Dennis Waterman of Sweeney fame, who is a keen Chelsea fan and a season ticket holder at Stamford Bridge, and Mickey Stewart the former Surrey Cricket captain, who is of course a former Charlton player.

STRIKING FIGURES

Some people reckon you could put Mickey Mouse in a Charlton strikers shirt and he couldn't fail to score. This is not to detract from the brilliant finishing powers of Mike Flanagan and his former colleague Derek Hales, but merely to confirm what everyone could see for themselves against Chelsea, and that is the magnificent team support a striker is afforded at Charlton.



Examine the facts and you'll see that when Derek left for Derby in December he was the leading scorer in the land, and now Mike, with 20 goals, has shot up the scoring charts to share 4th place in the top two Divisions with Derek and Steve Finnieston (Chelsea).

Only Mike Walsh (Blackpool) (25 gls), Malcolm Macdonald (Arsenal) (22), Andy Gray (Aston Villa), Neil Whatmore (Bolton), and Trevor Francis (Birmingham) (21 gls each) had scored more League goals than Mike and Co. after last Saturday's matches.

Mike Flanagan

INFORMATION

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LEAGUE DIVISION 2

Up to and including, Saturday 16th,
April, 1977

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Wolves ..	35	19	11	5	76	40	49
Chelsea ..	37	19	11	7	64	51	49
Notts County	38	18	10	10	59	51	46
Nott'm. F. ..	37	18	9	10	70	40	45
Bolton ..	36	18	8	10	66	47	44
Luton ..	38	19	5	14	50	43	43
Blackpool ..	37	14	15	8	54	41	43
Charlton A.	37	13	14	10	62	54	40
Millwall ..	37	13	12	12	51	47	38
Sheffield U.	38	13	11	14	51	55	37
Southampton	34	13	10	11	61	56	36
Hull ..	36	10	15	11	41	42	35
Oldham ..	36	13	9	14	49	53	35
Blackburn ..	37	13	8	16	38	51	34
Fulham ..	38	10	12	16	48	58	32
Plymouth ..	38	8	15	15	44	59	31
Orient ..	34	9	12	13	31	41	30
Burnley ..	37	8	14	15	39	56	30
Cardiff ..	36	10	9	17	50	58	29
Bristol Rovers	37	9	11	17	43	62	29
Carlisle ..	36	9	9	18	41	69	27
Hereford ..	35	5	12	18	48	72	22

As a result of the vandalism which took place after the Chelsea match the turnstiles in Harvey Gardens are being completely rebuilt.

It is unlikely that all of them will be finished for the matches tonight and on Tuesday and we apologise to supporters for any inconvenience that this may cause.

We would be grateful if supporters could arrive a little earlier than usual and where possible use alternative turnstiles in Valley Grove for the Bartram Gate Entrance.

Man in the Middle

DEREK CIVIL (Birmingham)

Commenced refereeing in 1955, and via Worcestershire Combination, Football Combination and Football League line, qualified for the full list in 1969. Has refereed the F.A. County Youth Cup Final in 1971/72, and been linesman in a European Cup Quarter Final (1973/74) also Scotland v. Switzerland in 1975/76.

A married man with two sons, he works in the printing industry. Helps with coaching and running a local junior team, with help and advice to young referees. Trains with West Bromwich Albion and favours "off the field" discussions of problems between referees and players.

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Next Home Matches

Monday 25 April

FULHAM

S.E. COUNTIES LEAGUE

at Unilever 6.00 p.m.

Tuesday 26 April

BURNLEY

Football League 7.30 p.m.

Thursday 28 April

ROKEBY v. SALECIAN

(Valley Cup)

Charlton Athletic

Red and White

Jeff WOOD
Bob CURTIS
Phil WARMAN
Dick TYDEMAN
Jim GILES
Les BERRY
Colin POWELL
Peter HUNT
Mike FLANAGAN
Keith PEACOCK
Hugh McAULEY

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Bolton Wanderers

Blue and White

Jim McDONAGH
John RITSON
Peter NICHOLSON
Roy GREAVES
Paul JONES
Mike WALSH
Willie MORGAN
Neil WHATMORE
Steve TAYLOR
Peter REID
Ray TRAIN

Referee: D. W. Civil (Birmingham)
Linesmen: R. Rodell (Bedfordshire) — red
Duncan Jackson (Kent) — yellow

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